

NOTICE OF RACE



Hoover Sailing Club, Thistle Fleet 126 Wet Your Thistle Regatta Saturday May 13, 2017

Rules: The one-day regatta shall be governed by the current version of the ISAF *Racing Rules of Sailing*, the prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association, and the class rules of the THISTLE CLASS ASSOCIATION, except as any of these are altered by the sailing instructions.

Eligibility: The event is open to all registered and dues paid Thistles.

Registration: On-site registration Saturday morning.

Schedule of Events: Saturday, May 13, 2017

9:00-11:00 am Registration and Breakfast

11:00 am Skippers Meeting (no lunch served)

11:45 am Warning Signal Race 1

2-7 races to follow at the discretion of the Race Committee

5:30 pm Cocktails and Awards

6:00 pm Dinner at HSC clubhouse (\$5 per dinner ticket)



Scoring: Boats will be scored using the Low-Point scoring system. All races are scored.

Fees: \$20 US Sailing Member, \$25 non-US Sailing Member, *No Fee* for US Sailing members who are 18 and under. Dinner tickets \$5 each.

Awards: Top 3 Finishers and top Junior Finisher.

Contact Info: Doug Squires dougsquires3815@gmail.com
(614) 623-0260 (cell phone) or (614) 781-9472 (home). Please let me know if you need help with lodging, boat storage, or anything else.

Lodging: Camping available on club grounds with newly renovated restroom shower facilities. Hotels are close-by at 1-71/ Polaris exit and along the 1-270 outerbelt.

Directions: 4250 Smothers Road, Westerville, Ohio. Please visit www.hooversailingclub.com for detailed directions and updates.

NOTE THAT THE SMOTHERS ROAD BRIDGE IS CLOSED – FOLLOW DETOUR →

IF you are coming from the North...



1. Take exit for Rt 61 south towards Sunbury

2. Even though Rt. 61 ends, stay on this road through Sunbury (no turns) – the road will become Columbus Street and then South Old 3C Road (note speed limit is 25 mph as you go through town)

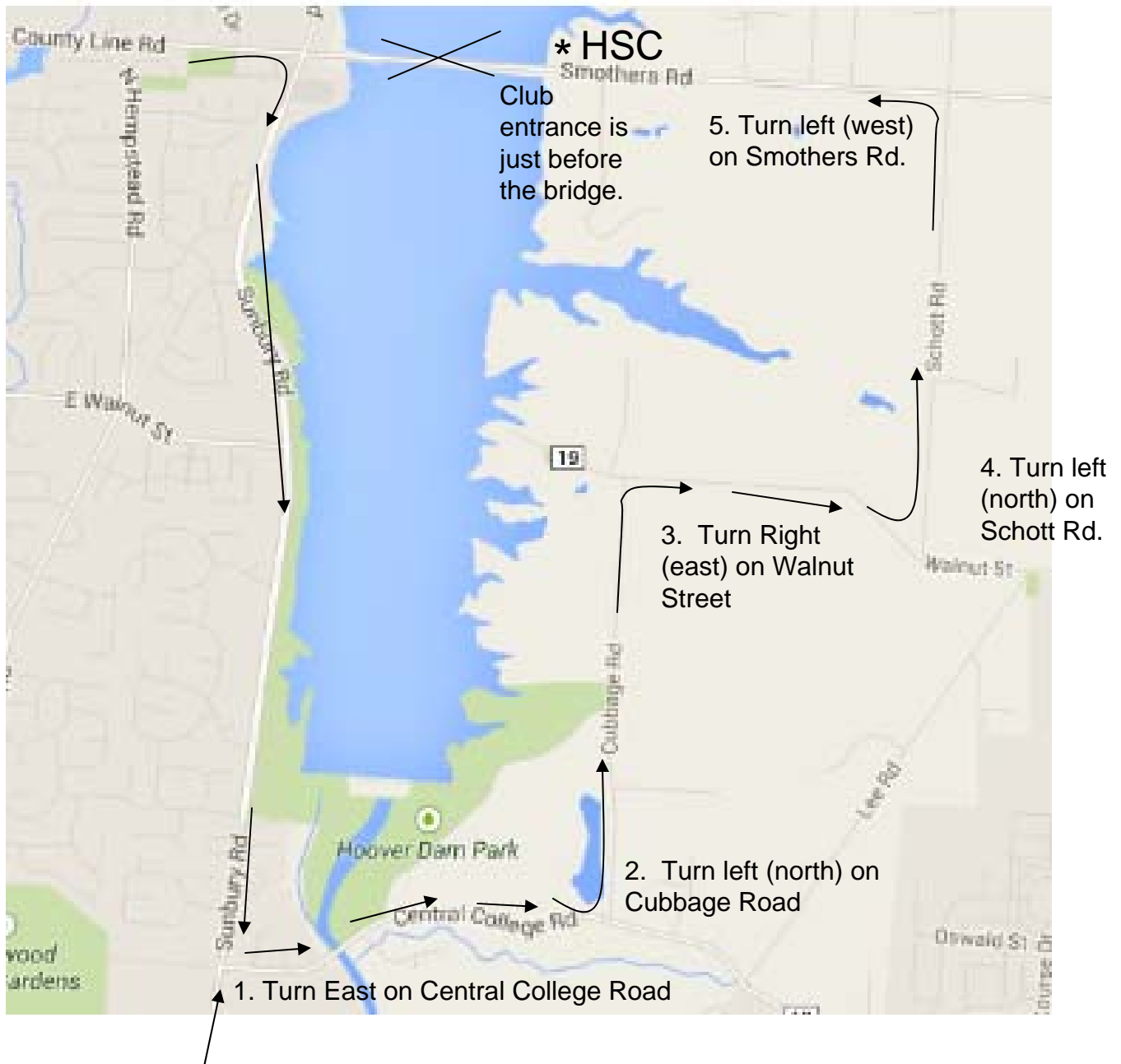
3. Follow South Old 3C (name changes again to Harrison Street in Galena) until it ends in Galena. Turn left and cross the bridge and start driving down the east side of the reservoir on Sunbury Road

4. You will come to a 3-way stop where Sunbury Road turns right. Do not turn here. Continue straight through and you will now be on Red Bank Road.

5. Red bank road makes a sharp turn to the east and then about ½ mile later turns south (even though the road continues straight). Be sure to turn right to stay on Red Bank Road

6. Turn Right (west) on Smothers Road, club entrance is just before closed bridge

If you are coming from the South or West...



Note: This detour is well marked until you get to Smothers Road. There the signs just say "Road Closed" when you look to the left.